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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 06484.0074

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Shin-Tron LIN et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2811  
Serial No.: 09/740,016 ) Examiner: O. Nadav  
Filed: December 20, 2000 )  
For: ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE )  
PROTECTION CIRCUIT )

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT OF SPECIES ELECTION**

In reply to the Requirement of Species Election dated January 10, 2002, the period for reply having been extended for through March 11, 2002 (March 10<sup>th</sup> being a Sunday) by a request for extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application as follows:

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02 FC:103

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**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 3 and ending on page 5, line 10 with the following new paragraph:

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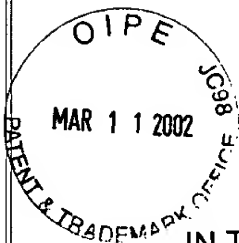
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of January 10, 2002. The items checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$110.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	197	-	170	27	x \$ 18	\$ 486.00
Indep.	14	-	12	2	x \$ 84	168.00
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Subtotal						\$ 654.00
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						- 0.00
TOTAL						\$ 654.00

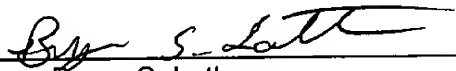
- ☒ A fee of \$654.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☐ A fee of \$[Fee] to cover [Title of other paper(s)] is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$764.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: March 11, 2002

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